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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Notes of General Interest in the Sporting World.

In this morning's *Colonist* it is stated that the James Bay and Mayflower clubs are never ready to play the Maple Leafs. The boot is on the other leg.—A JAMES BAY.

FOOTBALL.

The first game of football under Association Rules will be played at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, between the Islanders Association Club and St. Paul's school (past and present). A large crowd will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity to witness the first association game played in Victoria, and for that matter in British Columbia, between organized clubs. The Islanders have not had as much practice as we desired, but they expect to give a good account of themselves.

AQUATIC.

The first professional regatta ever held at Louisville, Ky., occurred on Wednesday. A single scull, mile, straightaway, between Hamm and Hanlan, was won by Hanlan in 5.30. In the three-mile race Hanlan withdrew, and Hosmer, Teemer and McKay failed to appear. Gaudaur, Hamm and Ten Eyck started. Gaudaur won in 22:10.

Young Dave Godwin beat Jacob Tyrell over the championship course from Putney to Mort Lake on Thursday by four lengths in 24:25, for £50. The time was not taken, as the water was very rough.

PUGILISTIC.

Joe McAuliffe and a strong combination of well known pugilists have left San Francisco on a sparring tour and will open at Portland, Or., in a few days and from there go to Tacoma and Seattle, and probably to Victoria, thence to Montana and Minnesota, accommodating all comers for a limited number of rounds.

TWO FLYERS MATCHED.

New York, Oct. 4.—Belle Hamlin, who made a record of 2:12¾ at Rochester recently, has been matched for a race at Fleetwood Park here on October 11th with the gelding Harry Wilkes for $2200 aside.

GAMES AND SPORTS.

The following were the winners in the Caledonian games and sports at Westminster on Wednesday:

Putting heavy shot, three entries—J. A. Murray 35 feet 2½ inches; D. H. Cameron, 32 feet 1 inch.

Putting light shot—D. H. Cameron, 40 feet 8 inches, first; A. Scott, 40 feet 2 inches, second.

Throwing heavy hammer, three entries—D. H. Cameron, 100 feet 9¾ inches, first; A. Scott, 89 feet 7½ inches, second.

Throwing light hammer—D. H. Cameron, 124 feet, 11½ inches, first; A. Scott, 116 feet 3 inches, second.

Tossing caber, five entries—A. Scott, first; A. Matherson, second.

Running long leap, four entries—A. Scott, 19 feet 4 inches, first; Haywood, 18 feet, second.

Running high leap, three entries—A. Scott, 5 feet 2 inches, first; Sergeant Brimstom, C Battery, 5 feet 1 inch, second.

Standing high leap, three entries—A. Scott, 5 feet 2 inches, first; D. Gray, 4 feet 6 inches, second.

Vaulting, four entries—A. Scott, 8 feet 2 inches, first; Haywood, 8 feet, second.

Three-legged race, two entries—A. Scott and George Irving tied for first; Bradbery, second.

Sack race, three entries—A. McLean, first; Irving, second.

100-yard race, three entries—A. Scott, first; Irving and Haywood tied and will run over to-day.

400-yard race, four entries—A. Scott, first; Irving second.

Hurdle race, three entries—G. Irving, first; A. Scott, second.

The tug-of-war between Westminster and Vancouverites came next in order. The Vancouver party was in charge of G. Black, of Hastings, whilst the Westminsters were in command of James Punch. After a hard struggle, lasting about ten minutes, the victory was declared in favor of the Westminster boys, but as there seemed to be some dissatisfaction on the part of the Vancouverites, it is likely the match will be pulled over.

100 YARD FOOT RACE.

A one hundred yard foot race for $100 stakes is to be run at Duncan's in a day or two, between Harry Marynard and an unknown.

A NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Tacoma *Ledger*: The *Ledger's* suggestions early in the season that a league be formed in Washington, to include the Portland and Salem teams, of Oregon, and the Victoria team of British Columbia, while not carried out, bids fair to be more intelligently considered next season. Nines could be easily placed in the field from Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Ellensburgh, North Yakima and Walla Walla; and with the three cities named also represented, a series of interesting games could be successfully played. The matter is in excellent hands and it is fair to believe from present appearances that the Washington league will be formed for the season of 1890.

There will be no baseball game to-morrow, but the James bay and Maple Leaf clubs will play to-morrow week.

WATSON-PECK.

It is stated that the Nanaimoites will back Peck in his forthcoming foot race with Tom Watson, for all they are worth. Watson is in excellent form and Burt Peck will have a hard man to beat. Nanaimo can take this as a pointer.

WRESTLING.

Cameron, the wrestler, has telegraphed to Mr. Stevenson, of the Pritchard House, consenting to the steps which the latter had taken to close a match with McLeod. So it is settled, after a great deal of talk, that the men are to come together and when they do the contest is going to be the best that has been seen in Victoria.

Faulkner and Connors are shortly to give an exhibition in Tacoma.

GENERAL SPORTING NOTES.

Teemer says that he will probably challenge Searle before the close of the month.

Duncan C. Ross started for Australia after Prof. Miller and Donald Dinnie yesterday.

Edward Hanlan is compiling a book which will be entitled, "Roaming in a Shell in Three Countries."

Mr. H Abbott, superintendent of the Pacific division of the Canadian Pacific, has donated four handsome cups to the Vancouver Rowing Club for a forthcoming regatta.

Neil Masterman, of Australia, has been matched to row George Bubear over the Thames championship course for £400. The race will be rowed Oct. 14. Searle will train Masterman.

Canadians have offered Searle $500 expenses to row O'Connor a race this year, and have offered Searle and Masterman a double scull race with O'Connor and Hanlan. The propositions may be accepted for next year. O'Connor will row no more this season.

LACROSSE.

In the lacrosse match at Westminster yesterday the Royal City team defeated Vancouver three goals to one.

Art Notice.

Porcelain portraits of all sizes enlarged from photos. Have your orders left with George Bigger, 86 Government street. Eight different kinds of work of art.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Spain Afraid her Indian Colonies May Flirt With Uncle Sam.

An Earl Charged with a Serious Offence—Conybeare, M.P. Sent Back to Jail.

[Special to THE TIMES]

Helena, Mont., Oct. 4.—The situation this morning shows Toole (Dem.) probably elected for governor. The rest of the officers are Republican and the senate also, but the house is still in doubt. Republicans claim the legislature on joint ballot by three to four majority. All county officials are elected by the Republicans. The situation in general is still unchanged.

AN EARL IN CRIMINAL COURT.

London, Oct. 4.—Earl Galloway was arraigned before the magistrate at Dumfries to-day, charged with indecent behavior before a little girl. Mr. Gibson, counsel for the Earl, pleaded his client's innocence, but the case was set for trial on Oct. 14th.

VERY DEFINITE.

London, Oct. 4.—The *Standard* says the Czar will arrive in Berlin next Tuesday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. How such minute information is gained is not known, and the statement is received as another rumor more or less true which no one outside of the official circles know anything positively.

BIG NAVY CONTRACT.

Berlin, Oct. 4.—The government has placed to the credit of the navy department the sum of 32,000,000 marks to be expended on new men-of-war. Of this amount 14,000,000 marks is on account of the vessels now in course of construction, being the second appropriation for that purpose. The remaining 18,000,000 marks forms the first appropriation toward the building of two new ironclads, three cruiser corvettes, one cruiser and three despatch boats.

Later reports from the scene of the railroad accident near Bluttgart yesterday, says that ten persons were killed and fifty injured.

ROTTERDAM STRIKE ENDED.

Rotterdam, Oct 4.—The strike of dock laborers is ended. The result is a compromise by which the men agree to accept 5 pence per hour on week days and 7½ pence per hour for Sunday work. The minimum of a day's work is to be four hours. All the men resume work to morrow. A dock employees union is being formed.

RAILWAY COLLISION—FOUR KILLED.

Berlin, Oct. 4.—A collision took place to-day between a passenger and freight train at Lessowitz, in Posen. Four railway officials who were on the passenger train were killed and many passengers injured.

POVERTY STRICKEN ITALY.

Dublin, Oct. 4—Archbishop Hogue, Catholic primate of Ireland, preached in Armagh cathedral to-day and referred in the strongest terms to Italy's treatment of the Pope. He declared the Italian peasantry were over taxed, and in a worse condition that the Donegal and Connemara peasants; that the Italians were emigrating faster than the Irish, and that the Italian government had encircled the Vatican with troops, knowing if the Pope departed the grass would soon grow in the streets of Rome.

GUILTY.

Buffalo, N.Y., Oct. 4.—Mike Faulkner was found guilty on the eighteenth count of the indictment which charged him with making false bank reports to the goverment in 1887.

A WINDFALL.

Carthage, Ills., Oct. 4.—W. S. Moffitt and sister, Mrs. George Middleton, of Tennessee, Hancock county, this state, have been notified that they are heirs to the celebrated Moffitt estate in Ireland and entitled to a fifth of the estate valued at $46,000,000. In an interview Mr. Moffitt admits the truth of the report.

A STRIKER'S DEED.

New York, Oct. 4.—A dastardly attempt was made this morning to blow up the slaughter house of J. H. Scantans, West Fourth street. Luckily no lives were lost, though the explosion caused wild excitement in and around the building. A bomb was thrown through an open window and debris of all sorts were thrown over the men at work. Damage to the building was about two hundred dollars. It is believed that the bomb was thrown by one of the strikers who went out from the firm's employment last February on account of some difficulty with the employers. Since that time it has been a non-union concern.

FEARFUL ACCIDENT.

Rockville, Conn., Oct. 4.—The staging on the Union Church broke to-day and George Johnson and John Hanson, of Worcester, stage builders, fell seventy-five feet. Hanson sustained a broken skull and internal injuries and was picked up dead. Johnson's back was broken and his ribs driven into his lungs. He cannot live.

SEALER ARRIVES.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—The sealing schooner Lily L arrived from the north last night with 900 skins. She had a rough trip down and nearly foundered at one time, being struck by a heavy sea which stove in three of her boats and set everything movable on deck afloat.

BRITISH VESSEL LIBELLED.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 4.—The British schooner Wandrain, Capt. Wood, was libelled and seized here to-day by Deputy United States Marshal Hathaway, on complaint of Thos. Kennedy and three other sailors who allege ill treatment and non-payment of wages. The hearing has been set for October 9th, at Portland. The schooner is now in the hands of a keeper.

NEWLY BAIL.

Albany, Oct. 4.—F. J. Sullivan, one of the coiling conspirators, was arrested to-day and admitted to bail in the sum of $50,000.

CONYBEARE SENT BACK TO JAIL.

Dublin, Oct. 4.—While the authorities of Londonderry jail were going through the formality of releasing Charles A. V. Conybeare, member of Parliament for Combore division, Cornwall, from confinement to-day, that gentleman deliberately violated one of the rules of the prison and was immediately taken back to the cell. As Conybeare served but little more than two months of the six months term for offences against the Crimes Act, in participating in the plan of campaign, it is possible his defiant conduct will subject him to the necessity of serving out the remainder of his term, notwithstanding the bad condition of his health, which was the reason of his intended release.

AFRAID OF ANNEXATION.

Madrid, Oct. 4.—The leading Spanish newspapers commenting on the international American congress at Washington, unite in expressing the hope that the Spanish-American republic will not allow itself to become a satellite of the United States.

TWO PROMINENT PEOPLE.

The Editor of the London Telegraph on the Behring Sea Matter.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—Edward Eiffel son of the famous engineer, is here. He says of the proposed bridge across the St. Lawrence river, from Quebec to south Quebec, that he had concluded that the idea was a possible one and will try to persuade his father to look at it in a favorable light. He estimates the cost of the bridge will be between six and seven million dollars.

Another prominent arrival last night was H. L. W. Lawson, member of parliament and editor of the London *Telegraph*. In an interview Mr. Lawson thought the outlook promising for Irish Home Rule, and the Behring sea matter would be settled amicably and in a judicial manner.

FEARS THEM NOT.

Rev. P. Cronin is Threatened But Cares Not.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Since the murder of Dr. Cronin at Chicago in May last, friends of the Rev. P. Cronin of this city, who is editor of the *Catholic Union*, have been particularly severe in the denunciation of the conspirators. They have known he was a marked man. In this week's issue of the *Catholic Union* Father Cronin editorially announces that he has been in receipt of threatening letters, some anonymous, others signed though labelled not for publication. Continuing, he says: We have not been raised in the cowardly atmosphere of Irish secret society mummery, and are not accustomed to tremble at threats of "The high muckamucks" of such an organization.

We know not what other papers may do, but for our part, in season and out of season, we will raise our voice and demand that the villians who wrought Cronin's foul assassination shall be hunted off the face of the earth on which they are carrion and pollution, and for those who would endeavor to intimidate us, we have only pitiless contempt. This is our reply to the threatening and insulting letters which we have just received. Is it explicit enough? If not we will have something to say still more pointed in answer to future menaces.

B. C. BOARD OF TRADE.

Regular Quarterly Meeting Held This Afternoon.

The regular quarterly meeting of the B. C. Board of Trade was held at the rooms, Bank of British Columbia building, at three o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Robert Ward, President, called the meeting to order, and before the routine business was gone on with, Mr. Monteith, secretary, read the minutes of the last special meeting, which were adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Roswell Board of Trade of New Mexico, asking particulars concerning land laws, etc., and asking the chances of live energetic men in this country. Referred to the immigration department and secretary of the board.

From Hon. Justice Drake, tendering his resignation as he could not be a member while a judge. Accepted.

From J. E. Devlin, tendering his resignation. Accepted.

From E. C. Baker, M.P., in reference to the calling of the China steamers at this port. Received and filed.

From Captain John Irving in reference to the fact that American vessels were allowed to load at different landings on the Fraser river, taking in cargo at the canneries for foreign ports. This, he pointed out, was detrimental to steamer owners of the province. He also showed that the custom authorities had allowed American vessels to load at different canneries on the Skeena river. This, if legal, left no protection to steamer owners here.

The President asked Capt Irving to explain to the board the whole nature of the complaint, that they could understand the matter fully.

Capt. Irving, while sure the letter was explicit, said he would read from an American copy of customs orders issued by the U.S. treasury authorities dealing with transhipment of freight over Canadian lines and restricting such transhipment by imposing duty on all goods handled by Canadian vessels, but not on American carried freight. He pointed out that the Michigan handled Canadian goods and discharged them at different ports along the coast.

Capt. Warren said it was virtually coasting.

The President said that it was evident that U. S. customs laws were very rigidly enforced, more so than on this side. He hardly thought that the work could be called coasting, as the steamers complained of came there with freight for different parts and discharged it at these ports; he did not think it illegal, but if those steamers picked up freight at different ports, it was certainly wrong, and would in all likelihood receive the earnest attention of the government.

A resolution was put and carried to the effect that the Hon. Minister of Marine and the customs authorities be notified of the state of affairs which existed at present and asking that notice be taken of it in the interests of home trade and that the customs regulations be firmly and fairly carried out.

The matter of closing Port Simpson as a port of entry came up, and it was shown that its usefulness as an open port was past it being only handy to American vessels, who entering there could take trade from Canadian vessels. It was shown that no Canadian vessels had entered or cleared there for some time. The port was of no value to the country.

Capt. Irving explained the fact that Port Simpson was, as a port of entry, only utilized by American vessels, greatly to the hurt of Canadian vessels. He explained how it came that Fort Wrangel was closed by the Americans in their interests.

A resolution was put and carried that the Minister of Customs be asked to give the matter his careful attention, and if he found that the utility of Port Simpson was not calculated to be to the interests of Canadian shipping, he be pleased to close it as a port of entry.

CHINA STEAMERS.

The President drew attention to the fact that several efforts had been made to compel the China steamers to call at this port. He would read to the board another minute which gave forth no uncertain sound.

NEW MEMBERS.

Messrs. A. J. Bechtel, Wm. Mussie and W. H. Rutledge were elected as new members.

GOVERNOR GENERAL.

The President drew the attention of the board to the fact that it would be proper to present an address to Lord Stanley on his arrival here. Referred to council.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Charles Wilson stated that he would like the board to make a representation to the provincial government, asking them to make a road from Kootenay Lake to the Columbia River. He thought some steps should be taken in the matter to deflect the large amount of trade to this country, preventing it going to the States.

A plan is to be made of the country and the claim pushed.

No more business being before the meeting, it adjourned subject to call.

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Hon. Edgar Dewdney's Chinese Speech—What it is Said to Mean.

Religion and Patriotism Clash and Create Indignation at Ottawa.

[By Postal Telegraph.]

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—The British government has drawn the attention of the Dominion government to the danger which threatens friendly treaty relations between Great Britain and China unless the Chinese restriction act which was passed by the Dominion parliament in 1885 be modified, and desires that such steps may be taken at next session of parliament as will remove all cause of alarm. In Victoria, B. C., Mr. Dewdney, Minister of the Interior, recently stated that Chinese labor was an advantage to the development of that province. His speech was meant, it is now believed, to prepare the way for such modification as the government may make.

SUICIDED.

A Man Jumps Overboard and Refuses to be Rescued.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Vancouver, Oct. 4.—About 8 o'clock this morning F. Roblin, an employee of the B. C. Planing Mills, walked down to the city wharf, took off his coat and jumped over and was drowned. He persistently refused all means of rescue and sank before he could be reached. The body was recovered about noon. He leaves a wife and family.

Voting on the city wharf by-law was very quiet to-day.

EXHIBITION DINNER.

Senator McInnes' Encouraging Remarks—Prof. Saunders Speaks.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, Oct. 4.—The agricultural dinner, which is a feature of the provincial exhibitions, was held at the Queen's Hotel last night, President Ladner presiding. There were only twenty-three chairs occupied, but in spite of the small attendance the affair was a decided success.

Senator McInnes, in reply to a toast, contrasted the fruit and root exhibits with the same products in many countries of Europe, the Paris and the Toronto expositions, from which he has just returned. He said British Columbia surpassed them all. He predicted that when cultivation is the same with us as that of Switzerland that British Columbia will contain a population of thirty millions.

Prof. Saunders, of the experimental farm, made an excellent speech, explaining the work to be carried on at Agassiz. He told the farmers that they could not possibly overdo the fruit business and advised them to go into it extensively.

The weather is fine.

ROUGH ON THE QUEEN.

Religion and Patriotism Run Against Each Other.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—Ottawa College, a large Catholic institution, has issued invitations to a banquet on the tenth of the month. The toast list is headed with "the Pope," next "Archbishop Duhamel," and third, "the Queen. This gives great indignation to many loyal citizens.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Will Mr. Earle be Used Simply to Torture the Grits?

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—The resignation of Crow Baker was received by the Speaker of the House of Commons yesterday. Writs for a new election will not likely be issued for some time. If issued early, there is no doubt but the candidature of Mr. Earle is quite acceptable to the government, which means that he will vote with the government and against the province when it is to the advantage of the government to do so.

The trouble in the government printing bureau is not yet over. It has not yet turned into a question of English and French. According to the census taken to-day it appears there are 109 Frenchmen and 79 Englishmen employed in the bureau.

A HUDSON'S BAY PROJECT.

But the Line Has Not Yet Been Built—Charter Applied For.

St. Paul, Oct. 4.—Canadian and American capitalists have applied to the Canadian parliament for a charter for a railroad from the Canadian Soo to Hudson's Bay. Recent discoveries of coal have been made on the Moose river, about 260 miles north of the Soo, by the stipendiary magistrate of that district, and some of it has been brought down to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., for examination, creating no little interest in that unfamiliar land and exciting considerable comment. The road will be 370 miles in length, and will cross the main line of the Canadian Pacific at Windmore, 107 miles due north of the Soo. The country is said to be rich in pine and minerals. The idea of the men interested is to open up this country and to build to Hudson's Bay with a view to making a European route through the Hudson's Straits. The Dominion government will be asked for aid, and a surveying party will start out from Sault Ste. Marie January 1st, under the direction of Joseph Fozzes, a well known Canadian engineer. The line will give the Canadian Pacific a cut-off to the west.

TO PROSECUTE GAMBLERS.

Prominent Women Organize to put a Stop to Gambling.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—A number of the prominent ladies of the city have formed an association and hired a lawyer to prosecute the gamblers of this city under the state law. The work was begun to-day with the arrest of John Morris, the proprietor of a gambling house on Clark street. The attorney for the ladies says there is every reason to believe the gamblers will be very soon frightened. The state law against gambling is very severe. It provides that a person convicted for the first time of running a gambling house or renting property to be occupied by a gambling house shall be fined $100, and that on the second conviction the fine shall not be less than $500 and an additional penalty of six months in the county jail be added, and on the third conviction that the penalty shall be $500 fine and one year in the penitentiary. The ladies, whose names, except that of Mrs. Vanander, are not made public, intend to push the cases to the full extent of the law. They are taking steps to convict, not only gamblers themselves, but also men who own buildings where gambling houses are run.

—Connors, the wrestler, is said to have left the city for the benefit of his health.

THE FUTURE FIREMEN.

Drill of the Boys at the Public Schools.

Some months ago Chief Engineer Deasy suggested that the scholars at the central schools be instructed in fire drill, and that several articles, such as a hose-reel, ladder, etc., be provided so that in the event of a fire, the loss of life might not be of the appalling character which it often has been in other places.

His very sensible suggestion was adopted, and he was requested to instruct the older scholars in handling the hose reel and ladders, while the different classes were taught to leave the building in quick order. Frequent drills were held the first Friday in each month being selected as the day for a general turn out. A hose reel and hose with ladders were provided by the city, and the improvements made have been most noticeable.

By invitation of Chief Deasy, a TIMES reporter visited the central schools this morning to see the regular monthly drill gone through with. The hose drill was the first called. The alarm was given to the boys of the high school, who, under command of Mr. Offerhaus just yanked that reel from its resting place with a vim scarcely exceeded by old and veteran firemen. In one minute and ten seconds the boys had run a hundred yards to the hydrant, laid hose and got water.

Chief Deasy then rang the alarm bell, and in one minute and twenty seconds the building was emptied of its inmates, they pouring out in a crowd. When it is remembered that over nine hundred children had to leave their desks and pass through halls and in many cases go down flights of stairs, it will be seen that the time was very quick.

Several little matters were noticed, however, which show that considerable improvement might be made in the protection of life. For instance the coal storage place should be shifted from beneath the stairs leading to the top story of the boys' school, as should that place by any means be set afire the only point of escape for those on the top floor would be cut off. A battered kerosene lantern hanging under the stairs in close proximity to some dry kindling wood showed that a carelessly thrown match might set the whole business alight at any time; and matches are lighted there at times, if report speaks true, as in play the boys hide each others' caps in the coal hole. When the lamp goes to look for his cap he often lights a match the better to find it. The coal hole, under the stairs should be blocked up. Ladders might also be placed permanently on the roofs, and a fire escape provided. It is to be hoped the government in its wisdom will see its way clear to do everything to avert, in case of a possible fire, danger to life. With so many little children to care for every precaution should be taken. Suggestions of fixed fire escapes at the second story windows may perhaps be held too expensive, but they would be the best. Still a little help from the government would be money well spent.

The boys of the high school must be complimented on the way they handle their gear. In ladder raising, climbing, coupling and uncoupling, they will, as the Chief expressed it, make some of the regular department men "hustle."

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

J. R. McKenzie and B. Williams, who have been in attendance at the Foresters' district meeting at Vancouver, returned last night.

Dr. Milne has returned from New Westminster.

C. E. Renouf and Mrs. Renouf went up to the mainland this morning.

W. F. Wilson and wife left for Milwaukee this morning.

Joseph Richards arrived down from Quichou's last night to remain.

A. J. Bechtel, of the Delmonico hotel, arrived from Kamloops Wednesday night where he has been visiting friends.

Miss Christenson, of James Bay, is visiting friends in New Westminster.

His Honor Lieut.-Governor Nelson and Mrs. Nelson will return from New Westminster this evening.

T. E. Peck, of East Wellington, came down on the train to-day.

E. M. Yarwood, barrister, of Nanaimo, was in town yesterday on a professional visit.

Joseph A. Sayward and wife arrived from San Francisco this afternoon on the City of Puebla.

D. Doig, teller in the Bank of British North America, returned to day on the Puebla from a two weeks' vacation in California.

Miss L. Parks will leave for San Francisco on the Walla Walla sailing next Sunday.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.]

Jas. Wimmet, an Indian of melancholy and cast-down appearance, was charged with being in possession of an intoxicant. The fact was conclusively proved and the guilty party contributed $25 to the city treasury.

John Robertson, another son of the forest, was charged with an assault on one Jack, another aboriginal. Evidence was taken and Jim was fined $10.

The case of David Sims, charged with libel, was remanded to the 14th inst.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

Charles Pike, charged by Capt. Murphy of the bark Camelot with insubordination, appeared to answer to the charge; but Capt. Murphy failed to prosecute, having sailed yesterday with his vessel to Australia. The case was dismissed.

Wm. Farrell, on remand, was charged with robbing from the person of James Smith. Evidence was taken at length.

THAT INSUBORDINATION CASE

A Captain Who Made a Charge and Sailed Away.

The first officer of the bark Camelot, Mr. Charles Pike, who was to-day summoned to appear at the provincial police court, on a charge of insubordination, preferred by Capt. Murphy of the Camelot, seems to have a rather strong case against the captain. Mr. Pike was summoned to appear yesterday on the same charge. He did so, and Capt. Murphy gave his side of the story. The mate told the court that the ship's company, who were witnesses of the trouble between himself and the captain, would give evidence to upset the latter's plea, and the case was remanded until to-day to allow of the men being brought as witnesses. Capt. Murphy, however, took it upon himself to ship a new mate last night, and at once set sail for Sydney, N. S. W., without the formality of clearing Mr. Pike's name from the ship's articles. Mr. Pike is consequently legally still mate of the Camelot, and can, so legal experts say, claim wages from her, as it was through no fault of his that he was left behind. Capt. Murphy has also committed an illegal act by leaving without first having had Mr. Murphy sign clear of the ship before the customs authorities. It is understood that action will be taken in the matter, and the whole particulars of the affair laid before the Minister of Marine at Ottawa. Mr. Pike bears a most exemplary character, he having been officer and master of vessels, both sail and steam, for the past twenty years, and wherever he has been has had a good reputation as a faithful and efficient officer. It is evident Capt. Murphy has made a mistake, to put it mildly.

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THE SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX.

Inasmuch as it is a waste of energy for newspapers to discuss a constitutional question, and particularly a question where one of the parties thereto have been denied the right to present their case, a procedure which does not say much for British justice, we have forebore to pass opinion on Chief Justice BEGBIE's recent decision in the special tax case, British Columbia vs. Victoria. Nor shall we now in adverting to the case undertake to express an opinion based on any positive knowledge of constitutional law. We can only offer, so to speak, our private views in the matter. In the first place, the constitutionality of the law is not to be regarded from a partisan standpoint. It is a law the justice of which the public must entertain irrespective of political bias. It must not be condemned as a measure of the Hon. JOHN ROBSON's; the law must stand or fall on its constitutional merits. If the law is within the constitution it should be sustained, it matters not from whom it emanates, for money applied to educational purposes is money well spent. If, however, the law is not within the constitution, it matters not how beneficent the purpose intended, a precedent is established for the perpetuation of an abuse. In this case we cannot think that those who are willing to submit to the law are governed by the belief that the law is constitutional. They argue that the tax is a light one, that the purpose is a good one, that the end in fact justifies the means. In cases of stress, particularly during war times, we cannot afford to be finical in matters of constitutional procedure, but in time of peace, when no great exigencies are at stake, it is the duty of every citizen to unequivocally resent any infringement on his constitutional rights. He cannot afford to allow a precedent to be established which may be made the handle for extortion or political jobbery. If the end justifies the means, the man is justified who robs another, and donates the proceeds to a hospital or a church. If this special school tax is good law, then might Victoria be assessed for ten times the amount she is at present. Indeed we are of the opinion that had the assessment been for $10,000 Victoria would have protested against it without a dissenting voice. It is the comparative lightness of the tax, not the justice of it, which makes it endurable, and disinclines people to resist it. There can be no question of the illegality of a tax which discriminates between localities. Victoria as a municipality has the right to impose taxes on herself for the support of municipal institutions, but neither Nanaimo nor Vancouver nor Westminster by any known legal right can have any voice in the matter. If Victoria can be specially taxed for the support of her schools, she can be specially taxed for any other municipal feature. The public schools of Victoria are no more a matter of provincial concern than the sewers. It would be regarded absurd for the province to interefere in the matter of Victoria's sewerage, but it is competent for the province to prescribe in the matter of Victoria's education. If the constitution guarantees to the people of Victoria the same rights and the same immunities of the citizens of the other parts of the province, nothing could be more illogical than that the representatives of the whole people in the legislature assembled may saddle the city with a special tax for any purpose whatsoever. The fact of the matter is, nobody believes the tax is legal. The saving clause of the transaction is, that the funds so raised are to be diverted to an excellent purpose and the city is rich and can stand it. But the special school tax does not stand alone the only legislative monstrosity proceeding from the government. We doubt whether the four-inch wagon tire act will hold water, and we feel tolerably certain that should the legal professions not be brought to the test it would be discovered a flagrant instance of class legislation. If the legislature may regulate the width of wagon tires it may also undertake to say whether a man shall own a cart or a wagon. It may also regulate the number of pounds of seed which are to be sowed to the acre, and it may discriminate between single and gang plows. If the condition of Victoria wagon roads are of profound solicitude to Yale and Cariboo, these places may, with equal plausibility, undertake to say whether Vancouver Island farmers shall drive two or four-wheeled vehicles. As to the legal professions bill, the principle involved in it may be extended to all professions and trades. This is too palpable to require argument. It is not the hardships to which any of the acts give rise which call for condemnation. It is because they establish precedents for class legislation, jobbery, monopoly and extortion. If they are constitutional, a new constitution is badly needed; if they are unconstitutional, then the people of this province may conclude that they are being governed either by fools or knaves

HONORABLE MR. DEWDNEY'S FRIENDS.

We offer the subjoined, from the San Francisco Examiner, for the delectation of Mr. DEWDNEY and the Colonist:

The "peace-loving Chinaman" is at this moment beginning an internecine war in which the Wongs and Lees will slaughter each other, men, women and children, because they could not agree about some burying-grounds. He rose in Bangkok the other day in a quarrel between two highbinder societies, and 5,000 coolies fought with spears and tridents, impaling their enemies and carrying the bodies on the points of their weapons. He fought pitched battles in the streets of Eureka, California, until the people put him out and kept him out. He maintains standing armies of professional assassins in San Francisco, open to engagement for any undertaking of riot and murder on a fixed scale of fees.

The "docile Chinaman" is the most unruly and impudent worker in the world. He is the terror of the kitchen, and when he works in a factory he demands and obtains privileges which the white operatives beside him go without. He has reduced the boycott to an exact science, and an employer or landlord who is dependent upon him must humor his caprices or go into bankruptcy.

THE READING OF THE FUTURE

What the newspapers are doing in a literary way, or rather what two of them are on the point of doing, which of course will bring others in line, is something startling in the line of expense. The Montreal Daily Star under the heading of a new departure announces that it has secured "Canadian rights, in a magnificent and extensive series of articles ever submitted to the readers of a daily newspaper." Conning the list of contributors this journal has secured, we discover no less than forty-one of the most popular authors of the day. From Boston we have a similar announcement. The Boston Globe has engaged a staff of eminent writers among which are Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, Edward Everett Hale, Sara Jewett, Thos. Hardy, Harriet Prescott Spofford, Maurice Thompson and others as well-known and popular. Mrs. Burnett will edit the youth's department. These departures in journalism will compel emulation, and the result will be to give the press a moral tone which is now said to be lacking. How these departures will affect the magazines it is difficult to say, but the chances are that as the vehicle of mere stories they will find themselves with occupation gone. They will have to confine themselves to special subjects in science, philosophy and politics, leaving the lighter literature to the dailies.

BIERCE ON MODERN WARSHIPS.

AMBROSE BIERCE, who records his "individual opinions" in the Examiner, is not a naval expert that we are aware of, but with the peculiar intuition which some men possess, he records an individual opinion of modern ships of war which in the light of the sly whisperings of the naval men sound plausible enough. Mr. BIERCE is of the opinion that almost any line of battle ship or cruiser afloat to day would be partly disabled by the mere impact of a 300-pound shot delivering a glancing blow upon any part of her periphery, and that the recoil of one of her own broadsides would complete her disability. As for ramming an enemy, she might as profitably be rammed. The shock would "stop" her like a clock.

Fighting, says Mr. BIERCE, "is rough work;" it engages one's entire attention. The ordinary mortal feels in battle but one emotion—an overwhelming sense of danger. To expect him to manipulate a complicated machine is to be disappointed." Experience has shown the wisdom of making military weapons of extreme simplicity. Even the old muzzle-loading rifle was a mechanism too complex for the soldier; more than 20,000 of these arms were found on the field of Gettysburg with from two to fifteen bullets in them. Fancy relying on swarms of engineers, machinists, electricians and all the other sorts of sers, ists and icians of a modern man-of-war intelligently to perform their vital, difficult and delicate duties in an atmosphere of exploding shells! There is not an indicator which they will not move the wrong way, not a button which they will not press at the wrong time. They will not know whether they are afoot or on horseback; and it will not greatly matter, for their absurd apparatus would not work with even the most intelligent attention. The attempt to win battles safely by making machines to do the fighting is enough to stir the immortal gods to inextinguishable laughter.

There is not a man-of-war afloat which might not profitably be scuttled and replaced with an ordinary merchant steamer suitably strengthened, armed with a few heavy guns and nothing else and manned by seamen who if hurt in battle would not feel that they had a good cause of action against their government for breach of contract. The inventor who should show his sloping forehead above her rail should be promptly chucked overboard—particularly if he murmured the word "electricity." The machine gunner, the revolving-cannonier, the torpedo crank, the search-lighter, the general apparatus and appliance man and the gentleman afflicted with impenetrabilionsness should be tenderly and considerately destroyed. Mr. BIERCE as we have just said is not a naval expert that we are aware of, but he unquestionably is two-thirds right in his opinion of the modern man-of-war. There are no ships built which can withstand the impact of the ball impelled from the modern rifled cannon, and it stands to reason that all machinery above the water line is liable to derangement in combat. We imagine it would be money well spent for the United States to try the effect of a dozen shots or so on the Charleston. If she is still able to fight or to even run away after being hit, say twenty-five times, she may be pronounced a success, otherwise as BIERCE says the ordinary merchant steamer is just as well adapted for fighting purposes as the modern ironclad.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The British and Foreign Bible Society has just issued a new translation of the Kaffir Bible.

It is a fact probably not known by some of our readers that at the commencement of the last Egyptian war the missionaries of the American United Presbyterian church had to fly from the country for their lives, leaving behind them all their property, furniture, books, etc. When the war was over they returned and found their native servants unharmed, obtained their keys from them, unlocked their houses, and found their furniture untouched and everything safe.

Mr. BALFOUR finds that his Irish university scheme, designed to split the ranks of the British liberals, has really opened a seam in the tory garments. He tells the secretary of the Protestant alliance that, although he desired to promote higher education for Roman Catholics, a foundation endowment for the proposed university had never been contemplated by the government. This is a palpable crawl. For weeks the chief secretary of state for Ireland was content to allow the public to interpret his speech in Parliament at the very close of the session, as an announcement of a proposed endowment of a Roman Catholic university. Now he says that a foundation endowment was never thought of. It is evident that this denial is designed to affect the bye elections, four of which will take place this week and next. In two of the districts a severe contest is in progress, and the tories evidently find themselves handicapped by BALFOUR's university project.

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Dated this 3rd day of October, 1889.

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Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Chap. 13, entitled the "Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schong, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

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As E. CROW BAKER, Esq., M. P., has resigned his seat in the Dominion House of Commons, we, the undersigned electors of Victoria City and District, beg you to allow yourself to be placed in nomination as a candidate for the vacant seat.

We do this because we feel that at the present time it is imperative that Victoria should have the best man that can possibly be got to look after her interests; and as your business capacity, your large interests here, and your general fitness for the position, are so well known to us, we hereby pledge you our hearty support if an election is necessary.

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A W Barnett,	F Hansen,
A C Howe,	J R Collister,
John Carson,	Joseph Dwyer,
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R Seabrook,	Munro Miller,
John Sous,	W H Snider,
D H Phillips,	J Hutcheson.

REPLY.

GENTLEMEN:—I thank you most heartily for your very numerously signed requisition asking me to allow myself to be placed in nomination as a candidate to represent you in the Dominion House of Commons, and also for your expressions of confidence as to my fitness for the position.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership existing between Carl A. Lundberg and Noel J. Becar, under the name and firm of Lundberg & Becar, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Claims against the partnership may be filed with Morris Moss, Johnson street; or with A. L. Belyea, 6 Bastion Square, Victoria, solicitor for the undersigned.

NOEL J. BECAR.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23rd, 1889. sep24-1m

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[From the Columbian.]

Ho! burghers of the Royal burgh
Fling wide your flags to-day!
Let business hug the wall spare,
Don fest've garb—let festive grace
And social words have way!
Let home and heart banpan wide!
Let pelf and profit stand aside,
And smile unbound to-day!
The smile of kindly welcome,
The smile of honest pride,
As east and west and south and north,
From town and hamlet pouring forth,
Rolls the human tide.
Of ranchers stout from Chilliwhack,
Down a goodly train,
From far Nicola and Delta wide,
And Langley, by the Fraser side,
Famed for their golden grain.
From Semiahmoo's sounding shore,
Where winter sighs are wild;
From Matsqui's broad and fertile farms,
And Lulu, in the river's arms,
Cradled like a fair nice child;
From Richmond and from Eatate,
Hammond and Boundary Bay,
From Kensington and Elgin,
They come in long array,
From where the headlong Harrison
Flashes in tiffies bright;
From Alexandra with orchards
Of golden fruit delight;
From Surry's sunny nooks they come,
They come from far Cheam—
For he who stays at home to-day
Is counted as a clam!
And hardy fishermen are here,
Of divers tongue and race;
Right glad are we as such men to see,
Right glad to give them place!
And Yale's far stretching prairies
Send out their riders bold,
With mayers from the rugged hills
Where lurks the yellow gold.
Mark—as they hereward press along—
How the concourse swells
With axemen from the lumber woods,
With boomers from Port Kells!
Till here they meet Vancouver's men,
Victoria's sons they meet,
From train and steamer thronging fast
Far up the shouting street!
For to-day the Royal City old her portals
wide has flung,
And to-day a welcome full and free she
gives to old and young.

For you bet your sweet existence,
We've got a lusty show,
And—if pluck and push can do it—
We're bound to make it go!

THOSE POLES.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—If "Chiel" will possess the soul of patience for a brief space of time he will find no reason to complain of the "appearance of the tramway poles." It is the intention of the company to paint them so soon as the electrical apparatus has been placed in position. It would be folly to do so before, as climbing poles seriously wears the paint.

I agree with "Chiel" that poles are not sightly; but if Portland with 65,000 inhabitants and Tacoma and Seattle, each with half as many, can tolerate them, surely, Victoria need not complain when the great public convenience of cheap and rapid travel is secured thereby. In any case, the spectacle of poles is preferable to that of wretched, suffering horses toiling along the thoroughfares with heavily-laden cars behind them.

All the company ask is a little more time to put everything in smooth running order, when even "Chiel" will be more than satisfied with the results of the interference.

Tramway.

HON. JOHN ROBSON AND OVER-EDUCATION.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Hon. John Robson has taken great pains, in his speeches lately, before teachers and pupils, to explain that the hue and cry about over-educating the children was all nonsense, in fact, that there was no danger of giving the children too much education. In his treatment of the Wellington children the premier seems determined to prevent the possibility of their getting too much education. In that school there are 168 children enrolled, 150 (about thirty not understanding English) actually attended during September in a room 20 by 30 feet, and with one teacher. This reminds me of the story of the Methodist preacher, who prayed that he might be kept poor and humble, when one of the brethren shouted out that if the Lord would keep him humble they would see that he was kept poor. Will the *Colonist* state who raised the hue and cry of over-education? and also explain the 'Christian' principle by which an honest man would appoint an assistant in West Victoria for 68 pupils last October, and no assistant in Wellington for 168 pupils yet?

J. N. Muir.

Vancouver, Oct. 1st, 1889.

MINING NOTES.

Events Transpiring in the Mining Region of the Rockies.

A. D. Wheeler is the only real live operator in the Hot Springs district, now that G. B. Wright has thrown up his bond on the No. 1. Mr. Wheeler is a pioneer in the district, well posted on mining matters, and has good staying qualities. He has men at work on the Gallagher group, in the Krao, and on the Skyline. The Gallagher's ore yielding $150 ore, the Skyline ore that will go close on to $300 to the ton in silver, and the Krao galena that assays about $100 to the ton. In the same district work is progressing on the Little Donald and on the Spokane. The former has two feet of ore in the bottom of its shaft, and the latter a good showing in a 75-foot shaft.—*Truth.*

A high-grade gray copper find is reported as being made somewhere near Grohman's canal in East Kootenay. Nothing authentic is known of it, however.

Neil Morrison, it is stated, has disposed of his Lost Chief claim in the McMurdo district to Vancouver parties.

The Cariboo Creek Mining Company of Donald, whose mine is located about two miles east of the famous Lanark mine at Illecillewaet, is taking steps to have the capital stock of the company increased from $10,000 to $50,000.

The Toronto capitalists who were up at Toby Creek, in East Kootenay, taking a look at the claims owned by Wm. Hammond, Wm. Kirkpatrick and George Starks, have made developing arrangements with the boys, and the claims will be worked during the winter.

Several Great Easterns.

The dimensions of the Atlantic liners are gradually being increased until they begin to approach those of the Great Eastern. The Majestic, launched from Messrs. Harland & Wolff's yard, Belfast, is 582 feet long, and with her sister vessel, the Teutonic, belongs to the White Star line. They are believed to be the longest vessels afloat, but will fall short of the Great Eastern's length by more than 100 feet. They have a breadth of 57 feet 6 inches, and a depth of 39 feet 4 inches, and a gross tonnage of nearly 10,000 tons. They are all built of Lloyd's Martin steel, and will be each propelled by two independent sets of triple expansion engines, driving twin propellers with manganese bronze blades.

Burrard Inlet Granite.

The C. P. N. steamer Maude is now riding at anchor in the bay, waiting to get her clearances papers from Victoria, says the Port Townsend *Call*. She ran alongside the wharf, and owing to the rough water she knocked off about ten or twelve feet of her guards. She returns from Seattle, where she discharged a cargo of about two hundred tons of granite from the Keefer quarry on Burrard Inlet, about twenty-two miles from Vancouver. Keefer, who is a contractor, has filed application to patent the whole island, which is almost solid granite, and as soon as he secures the title he will increase the present force of twenty-five men to over one hundred. In order to facilitate the carrying of this granite, Mr. Keefer has purchased Spratt's Ark, which is a large steam scow capable of carrying seven hundred tons of stone. This scow was originally built to be used as a floating cannery, and has for some time past been used as a coal transport. The granite is gray and black, and we are informed is in demand as a fine building material. Such instances as this must be beneficial to the business of Port Townsend.

Pacific Coast Hops.

Hops is the staple crop of Washington Territory and is a growing industry. Already their annual production reaches over 8,000,000 pounds. The climate and soil in the bottom lands and valleys seem peculiarly adapted to the cultivation of hops, and more attention seems to have been paid to their cultivation in the vicinity of Puget Sound than elsewhere in the territory. Here within the past few years an increasing interest has been manifested in the business of hop raising and the yards have been multiplied and extended as the following will show: The crop of 1881 was 6,198 bales and of 1888 it was 40,000 bales, or 7,850,000 pounds. The last crop taken from 4000 acres is estimated to bring $1,125,000. Fully 10,000 persons are employed for three weeks picking the crop, and about the only limit to the production seems the supply of pickers. And all this industry has sprung from beginnings as recent as 1875, when it first seemed to be apparent to the people that hops was a staple crop, and when for the first time the cultivation of them appears to have been given special attention. The yield from 1,250 acres in one county, in 1887, at 25 cents per pound, which was below the average market price for the year, was more than $500,000, or as good as the average gross product of 50,000 acres of wheat in Ohio.

The prices received fluctuate very much, all the way from 15 cents to $1 10 per pound for the last ten years. The average price for the same period has been about 25 cents per pound. In 1883 they reached $1.10, or equal to $4,050,000 for the product of 2,000 acres, if all had been sold at that figure. The average yield is 1,600 pounds an acre.

It is plain that Washington will ere long be the principal hop-growing country in the world. There are few places naturally adapted to hop culture, and this is one of the few.—*Seattle Post-Intelligencer.*

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Certificates of indefeasa le title to the above hereditaments wi l be issued to Roderick Finlayson, on the 29th day of September, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Land Registry Office, Registrar-General
27th June, 1889. je28-3m

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AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 2972 Policies were issued)	$7,282,205.07
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888	$281,964 93
CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions	$2,867,352.40
AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years	$31,212,145 60
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 19th November 1888 (of which $6,860,000.00 is Re-assured with other offices	$101,258,149.14
ACCUMULATED FUNDS,	$34,619,523 27
ANNUAL REVENUE,	$4,525,703.13

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ap15-tf Auctioneer.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Officers' Quarters, Victoria, B. C.," will be received until Monday, 14th October, 1889, for the general works required in the erection of Officers' Quarters, Victoria, B. C.
Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of F. C. Gamble, Esq., Victoria, B. C., on and after Monday, 23rd September, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied, and signed with actual signature of tenderers.
An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.
The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order,
A. GOBEIL,
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 10th Sept., 1889. Secretary.
sep25

NAVAL CONTRACTS.
Provisions, Preserved, etc., Soap, Tobacco and Salt Pork.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Monday, the 21st October next, for supplying such quantities of the above-named articles as may be required for Navy purposes for three years certain from the 1st January, 1890.
Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.
Forms of tender may be obtained at this office on written or personal application, and samples seen at the same time. JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, etc.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 6th September, 1889.
sep7

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.
SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the following timber, situate on Mt. Schoke Point, Hornby Island, and all the islands lying to the southeast of Hornby Island.
DAVID HOGAN.
Victoria, September 23rd, 1889. sep27-3m

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 12 miles west of Hecate Pass, thence west 5 miles; thence north 2½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ross & McLaren's timber lease; thence south ½ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 2 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.
COL. SCOTT,
W. LADD,
L. CASEY,
J. KING,
M. KING.
sep10-2m

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tracts of land, situated on and near Graham Island, Queen Charlotte, and described as follows: The island on Mamin Island, situated near the outlet of the Honna River in Skidegate Inlet, containing 90 acres more or less. Also a small island a short distance east of the outlet of the Honna River, containing 25 acres more or less. Also 320 acres more or less at the outlet of the Honna River and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the shore at south-west corner of claim; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to the shore, and along the shore to the point of commencement.
D. FREEMAN.
August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we the undersigned intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated on Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a post marked "M.H.C." and "G.C.S." about half-way between the Wannock Cannery and Kildalla river (near Little Round Mountain); thence north 40 chains; thence nearly east 40 chains; thence nearly south 40 chains to shore line; and thence following the meanderings of the shore to point of commencement.
M. H. COWAN.
G. C. SHAW.
Victoria, August 19th, 1889. au31-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT 60 DAYS from date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Rupert district described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at the mouth of the Kimkish River; thence westerly 440 yards; thence north 1760 yards; thence east 440 yards; thence along the western line of the reserve to place of commencement.
ALFRED J. HALL.
August 8th, 1889. aug13

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, described as follows: Commencing about ten miles below Hans Helgesen's Bakery at Gaakinche, at a stake marked A; thence running west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement. Staked March 10th, 1889.
ALEX. McNEILL.
Wannock, Rivers Inlet, July 25, 1889. au1-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in Queen Charlotte District, viz:—
1. A small island called Gust Island, situate in Skidegate Inlet, and lying south of Shoal Bay, containing 30 acres, more or less.
2. 1280 acres lying west of the old Seymour Coal Claim, on Skidegate Bay, commencing at the northwest corner post of the said claim; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains, more or less, to Hon Creek; thence north to the shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.
Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1889.
JAMES FELL.
JAMES DEANS.
jy31-d&w-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:
Tract No. 1.—Commencing about two miles east of Graphic Point, Valdez Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 100 chains; east 100 chains; south 100 chains; east 100 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 100 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 200 chains to place of commencement.
Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about one mile east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 80 chains east; 100 chains south, to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.
Tract No. 3.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel running 60 chains north; west 80 chains; south 80 chains; east along shore 80 chains to point of commencement.
Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.
Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.
VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO.
Victoria, June 14th, 1889. jel1-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 DAYS after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands in Renfrew district:—
Commencing at a stake on Juan de Fuca Strait, situated between Muir Creek and Sheringham Point; running north 160 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 320 chains to the shore; thence along the shore to the place of commencement.
No. 2.—Commencing at a stake, northwest corner of A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 400 chains, to San Juan Harbor; thence south along shore of San Juan Harbor to Juan de Fuca Strait; thence along shore to A. P. Bliss's claim; thence north to point of commencement. W. P. SAYWARD.
Victoria, July 31st, 1889. aug17-1m

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pingard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
A. B. ERSKINE, Secretary.
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COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, R. R. A. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.
W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.
jel1 1y

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.
R. H. JOHNS, K. of R. & S. oct9

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., R. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pingard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
R. S. MOUAT, Secretary.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Real Estate Agent, Notary, Etc.
Has removed to No. 57 Government St., two doors north of Morison's drug store.
May 6th.

MR. S. C. BURRIS
ARCHITECT,
HAS REMOVED TO COR. YATES and Quadra streets, where he may be consulted until the works now on hand are finished. ap7-1m

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Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Laidlaw's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 22 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 14:30 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.
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Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.
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MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

NOTICE.
In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
BETWEEN
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appoint

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Stelle's.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—A pumpkin was raised in Comox which weighed 135 pounds.

—The Yosemite left this morning for the Fraser for a range of salmon.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's.

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street.

—People can order their coal at the Rock Bay Coal Yard by ringing up telephone 559.

—The best Wellington coal is kept at the Rock Bay Coal Yard. Office, 53½ Johnson street.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's.

—A liberal discount on three ton lots at the Rock Bay coal yard, telephone 559. Full weight guaranteed.

—The steamer Princess Louise brought a cargo of hogs from the mainland last night. They were quadrupeds.

—Harvest festival will be celebrated at St. John's church next Monday. The decorations are now being made.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 53½ Johnson street.

—While the Calvary Baptist church building is being added to, the services will be held in the Victoria theatre.

—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves.

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. 1m

—The "Ideal Washing Machine." Best in the market. Sent on approbation. Price $10 at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Bengough's address on the single tax question at the Y. M. C. A. hall last night was much appreciated by those present.

—The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees will be held at the city hall on Saturday, the 5th inst., at 8 p. m.

—Fifty or so of Victoria's Chinese population left by the boat for Vancouver this morning on their way to the land of Confucius.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 161.

—The net income of the C.P.R. for the year ending February next will probably equal three and one-half per cent. on the share capital.

—Duck shooting on Boundary bay is good at present. A few days ago three sportsmen bagged upwards of 500 ducks of all varieties.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—Twenty-eight dozen French corsets, P. D. style, long, $1 25 to $2.75. Satin corsets, $2.75. Argyle House, Clarence block, Douglas street.

—The generosity of coal miners working in the Union mines is exemplified in the gift of $50 to Mrs. Dunsmore, whose husband died recently at Wellington.

—The old barn at James Bay, which has done duty for a legislative assembly hall for several years, has lately been made a bit more habitable.

—As a band of hogs were being taken off the Louise last evening one of them took to the water and it was some time before a deck hand managed to lead him.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—More fun with Bengough at the Victoria theatre to-night. Several local celebrities will be introduced to the audience with the additional attractiveness of caricature.

—The rails of the street tramway are to be at once laid over Rock Bay and along Work street to Point Ellice bridge. Probably Esquimalt will be a terminus soon.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and house-furnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street.

—Lieut. Tuttle, of the Rush, who landed at Port Townsend on Wednesday, could not be interviewed, he keeping clear of the reporters who were anxious to hear him talk. The Rush will proceed to 'Frisco at once.

—"Grip's" artist and editor, Mr. J. W. Bengough, will give his last entertainment, in the Victoria Theatre, this evening. His subject will be "Caricature and the Funny Art," in which subject many of the well known local "phizzes" will appear.

—The Governor-General and Lady Stanley, after their arrival in Vancouver on the 26th inst., will take the train for New Westminster, where they will be the guests of Bishop Sillitoe over Sunday, returning to Vancouver on Monday morning.

—*Truth*: A well-known Sea Island canneryman has re-named a street running from Clinton place to Park lane "Sockeye run." J. A. Laidlaw, the canneryman, lives on one side of the renamed street, and Thomas Mowat, the Dominion fish inspector, on the other.

—The matter having been referred to Mr. Bowell, collector of customs at Vancouver by the department at Ottawa, the latter has given permission to the Premier to be used as an excursion steamer on the Inlet on Monday, October 28th, in connection with the vice-regal celebration.

—The following members of Onward Lodge of Good Templars, were elected at the regular meeting at Nanaimo as the representatives of that lodge at the Grand Lodge to meet in this city on Tuesday next: Mrs. Campbell, Miss A. Lipth, Samuel Gough, and William Babcock. They will leave by the train on Monday morning.

Purchase of Coal Lands.

The New Vancouver Coal Company have recently purchased in the Cedar District contiguous to Nanaimo 3200 acres of coal lands, the purchase price being $432,000. The payments are to cover a period of two years, with an annual rental of 25 cents per acre per annum. The transfer was effected by L. Rosenfeld, manager of the company.

Putting Them Up.

Interest on Government street to-day centered in watching the poles go up. Remarks were loud that no Chinese were employed in the work. However, the poles went up in one, two, three order, and if the balance of the work is carried out as expeditiously, to use the phrase, "we'll have the tramway before we know it." Mr. D. W. Higgins is actively engaged in watching the work with the object of seeing that everything is as it should be.

Ship Concert and Social.

The Young People's Association of the Methodist Church intend holding a ship concert and social on Tuesday evening next, October 8th. *4t

Yom Kippur.

This Jewish holiday, known as the Day of Atonement, begins at sundown this evening and continues till sundown to-morrow evening. It is a day of fast and religious devotion, and divine services will be held in the Synagogue.

New Business.

Mr. John Dooley, a former partner of Mr. Lawrence Goodacre in the butcher business, contemplates opening a large feed and produce establishment on Cormorant street, in J. W. Carey's brick block. Mr. Dooley is at present residing on his farm at Ladner's Landing.

More Water.

The new five-inch water pipes are being put down on Johnson street and connected with the fire hydrants along the route. A more beautiful supply of the sparkling fluid will also be had by the consumers on the street. This new supply of water will in a measure offset the recent large importations of whiskey.

To be Finished at Last.

The castings for the manhole of the Johnson street sewer at the confluence of Wharf street, are now complete and by to-morrow the gear will be put in position and bricked up, when the street, which has been a yawning chasm for some weeks at this point, will again resume its wonted appearance.

Plenty of Fish.

Mr. L. Marks, of James Bay, went fishing last evening. He didn't use a hook and line either, but provided himself with a net. He made one throw of his fish-catcher into the waters of the bay, and 280 pounds of shining sardines was the result of the scoop. The sardines are of a delicate flavor, and are splendid food fish.

Looking for Moulders.

The striking iron moulders of the Albion Iron Works are still taking it easy. An effort was made a few day ago to obtain moulders, or workmen who pretend to know something of the business, from Esquimalt, but without success. It is believed there are a few men in the navy who know something about moulding, but they are not to be obtained according to naval rules.

Supt. Roycraft's Ads.

The last of Roycraft's effects was disposed of to-day in the sale of the yacht Ada, at auction, by Deputy Sheriff Langley. The bidding commenced at $100 and went up to $330, at which figure the sloop was knocked down to E. Fleming-Hewitt, a wealthy gentleman recently arrived from Norfolk, England, who proposes hunting on the island if he can find a suitable farm.

Painful Accident.

A young man named Robert McDonald met with a painful accident to-day while engaged in operating a planer in Smith & McIntosh's establishment, whereby the forefinger of the right hand was within an hair's breath of being completely cut off. Under the influence of ether the wound was skillfully stitched by Dr. J. D. Helmcken, and the young man takes home by Mr. J. Fullerton.

Solid and Strong.

A new landing stage has been put in at the foot of Yates street, and not before it was needed, the old one having been a dangerous rattle-trap. Mr. Watson did the mechanical work, and the result is creditable alike to him and the city. A floating stage, buoyant enough to carry a heavy weight, supports the water end of the stage, while strong, wrought iron hinges keep the shore end level with the street.

From San Francisco.

The City of Puebla, Capt. Debney, arrived from San Francisco at 1.30 o'clock this afternoon. The weather was good, but the record was not broken, the time of the present trip being 52 hours. The passengers were: Miss Welch, D. Doig, Mrs. Coulter, daughter and child, A. C. Greenbaum, John Purdy and wife, A. J. McMillan, J. A. Sayward and wife, D. B. Jenne, F. Kingsbury, E. Entwise, W. L. Potter, R. H. Roneboine, Mrs. Ross, J. R. Carter and 15 steerage.

Illicit Dealings.

Recent reports from the north disclose an alarming increase in the illicit business of supplying liquor to Indians. The offenders are whites, whose mode of operations is to steal into shore in their sloops with barrels of fire water. A few days ago a sloop manned by several white men was confiscated at Alert Bay and the men were on trial at the time our informant left there. North of Cape Mudge the traffic in whisky is carried on to an alarming extent; but south of that a commendable vigilance has reduced it to a minimum.

Marine.

The bark Martha, lumber laden, bound for Shanghai, was to-day surveyed in Esquimalt by a number of examiners.

The bark Camelot, from Moodyville, lumber laden for Shanghai, was towed from Esquimalt to Cape Flattery last night by the Pilot.

The steamship San Mateo, Captain Colvill, will undergo repairs for the next few weeks at the long wharf at Oakland. It will probably be a month before she resumes her trips to the Union mines at Comox. The steamship San Pedro takes the place of the San Mateo.

Happy Moments.

As a rule the sealers who have recently arrived from Behring sea believe in enjoying themselves to their heart's content; but few thoroughly appreciate the occasion of their return to port as do Mr. Robt. Hooker, and Lieutenant Frank Wilkes of the schooner Teresa. On Monday and last evening they entertained a number of their personal and most intimate friends at the Colonial Hotel, where, without ostentation, excellent menus were discussed, and wit and mirth mingled. Mr. Wilkes belongs to the R. N. R. and was recently in the employ of the Oceanic Steamship company. His idea of visiting the sealing grounds was to obtain certain information, and with Mr. Hooker he was thoroughly successful. The narratives told, the hardships suffered and the narrow escapes from the Rush and the Bear all form a subject of interest to land-lubbers, and across the festive board that interest becomes intensified.

Did He Swallow It?

About daylight Tuesday morning the family of the City Auditor were awakened by a vigorous ringing at the front door bell. A small child answered the summons. A dirty-looking man, clad in rags, and wearing a battered hat, a discolored eye and a nose that resembled an over-ripe tomato, pushed his way into the hall, when the Auditor made his appearance and demanded the reason of this early call.

"Doctor," said the man, "them pills didn't do me no good."

"Pills? Doctor?" exclaimed the astonished official. "What do you mean?"

"Why, them pills you gave me yesterday," returned the man.

"I gave you no pills. I'm not a physician."

"What? Ain't you Dr.——?"

"No, certainly not; you have made a mistake. You are in the wrong house."

"Come to look about me," said the fellow, "I guess I am. I begs your pardon for having waked you up," saying which he departed.

Some time afterward, as the rain was falling in torrents, the Auditor sought a silk umbrella that had stood near the front door the evening before. It had vanished. As neither the tramp nor the umbrella has been seen since, it is supposed that he mistook it for one of "them pills" and swallowed it.

Brunswick Hotel.

The best place in town to get a 25 cent dinner is the Brunswick Hotel.

CROSSED THE STORMY WATER.

A Sailor Bold and His Loving Sweetheart Fly to the "Land of Liberty."

Since the man-o'-war fleet has been lying at Esquimalt, the pointed arrows of the god of love have been flying thickly. The uniform of the Queen's defenders has always an attraction for the feminine eye. Among those who have been smitten was a fair Victorian whose home is in the chaste precints of James Bay.

"The sailor bold," in this case was one George Paul, a blue jacket of the Swiftsure, but the fond hopes of wedded bliss were shattered by the cruel parent of the girl, who said that his daughter should not wed a sailor. The loving tar then made an effort to obtain his discharge, and as no difficulty was expected, the time of the wedding was set, and all went smoothly until, alas, news came from England which cast a chill on the bright heyday of youth and beauty. It was to the effect that the lords of the Admiralty could not dispense with the services of the sailor bold, and great was the grief of the loving pair.

But love, although its course may not be smooth, always "gets there," and the two determined in spite of the mandate of the father to join the noble army of married martyrs. The sailor "borrowed" a boat from the schooner Sapphire, and with his true love set sail for the land of the free. Pleasant gales blew, and the small craft skimmed the glancing billows merrily, the loving pair in due course arriving at Port Angeles. Here they were sighted by Sheriff Morse, who noticing the name "Sapphire, Victoria," on the boat conceived that all was not right, and telegraphed to Capt. Wm. Cox, of this port, giving the particulars of the boat and the pair of runaways. Capt. Cox wired back an answer that the boat be held and the sailor arrested, but ere this reached the port across the straits another wire was received stating that the boat had been shipped for Port Townsend by the steamer Idaho, which would leave it there to be brought over by the Sound boat to-night. In addition, the dispatch stated, that the pair of runaways had also taken passage on the Idaho, the services of a justice of the peace having been availed of.

Fond mammas and careful papas will probably in the future guard jealousy their daughters from the wiles of the British naval man. All's well that ends well, though, and the voyage of life commenced with so much romance and danger may be in the future smooth. 'Tis to be hoped so anyway.

WITH ROYAL WELCOME.

Lord and Lady Stanley to be Received in Victoria.

A large number of those interested in the welcoming of Lord and Lady Stanley to this city, gathered at the City Hall last evening to consider the best form of celebration and to appoint committees. Mayor Grant was in the chair with Mr. Dowler as secretary. A draft of a programme was handed in by the programme committee, the items of which were considered and adopted.

One of the features of the welcome will be the presentation of a big bouquet of native flowers to Lady Stanley as she lands, two of the little girls from the public schools to do the presentation. A hearty British cheer is also to be arranged for. In addition to the regular programme, the following attractions have been adopted:

A grand procession similar to that which turned out to honor the Marquis of Lorne; banquet on Thursday evening, the 31st; grand ball to be held Tuesday evenig, 5th Nov.; illumination of streets and buildings, and decorated arches in four places along the line of march.

A committee was appointed to arrange for having the Governor-General land by steam launch at the Hudson Bay Co.'s wharf. Messrs. H. E. Crossdaile, Col. E. G. Prior, M. P., and Dr. Hennington were named a committee to arrange for a guard of honor, and it was decided that all the school children be requested to meet at Campbell's corner and there sing "God Save the Queen."

Messrs. C. Hayward, A. J. Smith, Ald. Goodacre, Ald. McKillican, Ald. Harris, Ald. Coughlan, Hon. J. H. Turner, M. P.P., were appointed a committee to look after arches and mottoes, and to report to the general committee.

The Mayor and Council were authorized to frame the address of welcome.

The following committees were subsequently appointed:

Procession: S. P. Mills, John Boyd, M. Moss and J. S. Yates—they to ask all societies to take part.

Fireworks and Illumination: Hon. J. H. Turner.

Horse Racing: H. K. Prior, J. S. Yates, W. Dalby and W. Jensen.

Finance: The Mayor and Council.

Reception: The provincial government and the judiciary, Robert Ward, W. C. Ward, Thos. Earle, Rev. A. Beanlands, McK. Smith, Gavin Burns, R. Finlayson, James Fell, C. E. Redfern, Wm. Dalby, John Boyd, E. Crow Baker, J. D. Pemberton.

Banquet: A. W. Jones, H. K. Prior, H. E. Crossdaile, J. L. Raymur, Hon. F. G. Vernon and Joshua Davies.

The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the chairman.

Dangerous Catapults.

Young lads who carry catapults and toy spring guns had better beware, as the chief of police has given orders that any youngsters found shooting the small but dangerous weapons will be dealt with according to the by-law. Several parties have lately had narrow escapes from loss of eyesight by these mischievous articles, and a caution should be given the boys.

A Pushing Firm.

Messrs. Spratt & Gray have just received a carload of new machinery from the east, among which is a large planer to be erected at their works, Rock Bay. This machine will take in work 36x36 inches by 10 feet in length, and will be able to handle very large castings. The balance of the consignment consists of an Eclipse matcher and planer, saw-table, emery wheels, duplex pumps, etc. A gas engine, the first in the city, is also with the shipment. Messrs. Spratt & Gray are doing a large run of work just now, they having received the agency of A. R. Williams, Sohó machine works, of Toronto, handling the many manufactures of that firm. They also do a large trade in repairing and jobbing, and seem bound to push ahead.

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Passengers Arriving.

Per Str. Princess Louise, from Westminster—Miss Culvert, Mr and Mrs Bennett, Dr Hall, S Sharpe, R Currie, N Hunster, A Crossland, J Garland, Joe Richard, H Gibbons, A Graham, A Twigg.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—F Sternberg, Miss Ross, Mrs Ross, Paul Scott, S Arthal, A F Helce, H Hastings, B Williams, L B Trimen, W A Russell, D McFarland, A Goldstein, Jno McLeod, J G Ross, Mrs. Richards, J P Wee, W Arthal, J H McKenzie, C Carrington, J C Henderson, John Leathedes, Geo McFarland, J H Freeman, Jas Ross, J E Bannerman, W McKenzie, J L Beckwith, John Arthal, R. Edwards, W T Bardsley, J H Bingles, A Carlson, Arthur Henderson, W L Cusack, Miss King, J Walters, H Mills.

Consignees.

Per Str. Princess Louise, from Westminster—McLaughlin Bros, G Tollock, L Sharpe, Henderson Bros, Geo Vienna, C P N Co, W Brown & Co, T Bennett, W Jones.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—Spratt & Gray, F Campton, Marwick & Hoople, S J Pitts, H B Co, G Hurse, H Harris, Nicholles & Renouf, Marvin & T.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Mitchell & Lester, J Gosnell, C Stromas, G A Carlson, Richardson & Church, McLennan & McFeely.

Per Str. City of Puebla, from San Francisco—A Dunsmuir, D Gibson, Braden & S, H & Ker, G Lapertine, P N Ross & Co, Electric L & L Co, Foll & Co, Fatrall & S, P Sturdy, O Cook Yuen Gee Co, Garioche Green & Co, H A Lilly, H B Co, H Saunders, Hong Wo, Him Yuen, J Cunning J & A Clearihue, J A T Caton, J H Todd & Sons, J Russell, J W & Fleet, J P M, J Weiler, Lowen & Erb, Langley & Co, Waitt & Co, M S Smith, Merrin & Tilton, M S & Tre Nicholles & Renouf, Baker & Son, P McQuade & Son, R Lettice, R Jamieson, R Ward & Co, R Law, S J Pitts, S Leiser, S & York, T W Clark, T N Hibben & Co, Tuen Chong, Sons Lee, Tai song, Vic Machine Depot, V C & M Co, W S Douglas, W & J Wilson, W J McMillan, Yuen Long, J Leahy, Lenz & Leiser, Wells Fargo.

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THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA Political Association

Will be held on Monday Evening, October 7th, At 8 p. m., at the old Board of Trade Rooms, Corner Yates and Langley Streets.

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